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WHITE-FRINGED BEETLE QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS MODIFIED

B. E. P. Q. 485, Third Revision

Sec. 301.72a Administrative Instructions--Removal of white-fringed beetle certification requirements until February 1, 1940, for specified articles consigned from designated portions of the regulated areas

(Approved July 28, 1939; effective July 28, 1939)

Circular B. E. P. Q. 485, as revised July 7, 1939, waived certification requirements until February 1, 1940, for specified articles consigned from certain parts of the areas regulated under quarantine No. 72. The only change in the present reivision is to exempt from certification until February 1, 1940, certain articles consigned from Saint Bernard Parish, Louisiana.

Under authorization provided in Notice of Quarantine No. 72 (Sec. 301.72), all certification requirements are hereby waived until February 1, 1940, for the following articles enumerated in Regulation 3 (a) and (b), (Sec. 301.72-3) when free from soil, it having been determined that sanitary measures and natural conditions have so reduced the risk of contamination with the egg or adult stage of the white-fringed beetle as to render certification unnecessary during the period stated:

1. When consigned from the regulated parts of the following counties: In Alabama, Mobile County; in Florida, Escambia County; in Louisiana, East Baton Rouge Parish; in Mississippi, Jackson County, certification requirements are waived for the following articles:

Potatoes and sweetpotatoes.
Sweetpotato vines, draws, and cuttings.
Cordwood, pulpwood, stumpwood, and logs.
Used or unused lumber, timbers, posts, poles, crossties, and other building materials.
Hay, roughage of all kinds, straw, leaves, and leafmold.
Peas, beans, and peanuts in shells, or the shells of any of these products.
Seed cotton, cottonseed, baled cotton lint, and linters.
Used implements and machinery, scrap metal, junk, and utensils or containers coming in contact with the ground.
Brick, tiling, stone, and concrete slabs and blocks.
Nursery stock and other plants, which are free from soil.

2. When consigned from the regulated parts of the counties of Hinds and Pearl River in Mississippi, certification requirements are waived for the following articles:

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Potatoes and sweetpotatoes.
Sweetpotato vines, draws, and cuttings.
Cordwood, pulpwood, stumpwood, and logs.
Used or unused lumber, timbers, posts, poles, crossties, and other building materials.
Hay, roughage of all kinds, straw, leaves, and leafmold.
Peas, beans, and peanuts in shells, or the shells of any of these products.
Used implements and machinery, scrap metal, junk, and utensils or containers coming in contact with the ground.
Brick, tiling, stone, and concrete slabs and blocks.
Nursery stock and other plants, which are free from soil.

3. When consigned from the parishes of Saint Bernard and Orleans (including the City of New Orleans) and from the regulated parts of the parishes of Jefferson and Plaquemines in Louisiana, certification requirements are waived for the following articles:

Potatoes and sweetpotatoes.
Sweetpotato vines, draws, and cuttings.
Cordwood, pulpwood, stumpwood, and logs.
Unused lumber, timber, posts, poles, and crossties.
Hay, roughage of all kinds, straw, leaves, and leafmold.
Peas, beans, and peanuts in the shells, or the shells of any of these products.
Seed cotton, cottonseed, baled cotton lint, and linters.

All articles, designated in paragraphs (a) and (b) of Regulation 3 of Quarantine No. 72 (Sec. 301.72-3) for which certification requirements are not hereinabove waived, shall remain under the restrictions of the quarantine during the period covered by this document.

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